

Titration

a titrant: Precisely Known Concentration

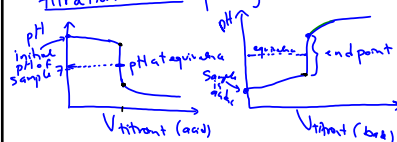
a sample: unknown concentration

an indicator: changes color with pH

equivalence point: time when the amount of the titrant (in moles) added is stoichiometrically equivalent to the amount of the sample (in moles)
 "Acid reacted completely with the base"

end point: When indicator changes color.

titration curve: pH against Volume of titrant



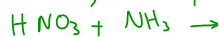
40 ml
 — burette (titrant)
 — 10 ml
 — sample, indicator

3 possible equivalence pH:

< 7 7 > 7
 usually (5-7) strong acid usually (7-9)
 strong acid + strong base strong base +
 weak base weak acid

Recall: $n_a C_a V_a = n_b C_b V_b$

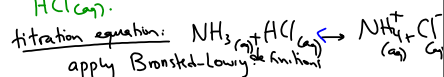
Qualitatively (predict) pH at equivalence:



acid: strong acid } acidic pH < 7
 base: weak base

Quantitatively: PS43

III) pH at equivalence when 50.00 ml of 0.150 mol/L ammonia solution is titrated with 0.150 mol/L HCl(aq).

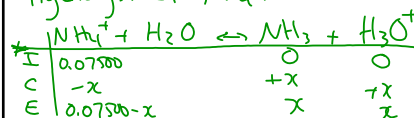


Organise all the concentrations in a table:

	$\text{NH}_3 + \text{HCl} \leftrightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{Cl}^-$			
(mol)	$C \times V$	$C \times V$	1:1 ratio, same as $n_a C_a V_a = n_b C_b V_b$	
(L) V	0.0500	0.0500		
(mol/L) C	0.150	0.150	$C = \frac{n}{V}$ $C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$	
	$\text{NH}_3 + \text{HCl} \leftrightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{Cl}^-$			
(mol)	0.007500	0.007500	0.007500	0.007500
(L) V	0.05000	0.05000	0.1000	0.1000
(mol/L) C	0.150	0.150	total volume	
	50.00		0.07500	0.07500

Salt: $\text{NH}_4^+ + \text{Cl}^-$
 only NH_4^+ will affect pH. (it came from a weak base)
 Cl^- doesn't affect (it came from strong acid)

Hydrolysis of NH_4^+ :



K_a since H_3O^+ is produced:

$K_a \text{NH}_4^+$ (remember $K_a K_b = K_w$)

$$K_b \text{NH}_3 = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$K_a \text{NH}_4^+ = \frac{10^{-14}}{1.8 \times 10^{-5}} = 5.6 \times 10^{-10}$$

use approximation

$$\text{method: } \frac{0.075 \text{ mol/L}}{K_a} > 1000 \checkmark$$

$$x^2 \ll 10^{-10} \quad x = 6.1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol/L}$$